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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

SUBJECT : Review of DD/S&T [redacted] Study on  
Mu Gia Pass

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1. I recommend that if this memorandum is to be forwarded to the Secretary of Defense the first sections be revised and the conclusions re-presented as follows:

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a. We have examined the available ordnance which might be used at Mu Gia [redacted]

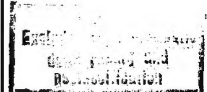
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c. While complete area denial may not be imposed even if re-strikes are made at very frequent intervals, the carrying out of this program would present the North Vietnamese with a series of new logistic supply problems and would require the diversion of additional manpower and equipment if the passes are to be used for continued logistic support on a reduced basis.

2. The referenced study has misinterpreted the logistic requirements. The correct information is contained in the attached memorandum to me from [redacted]

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4. This study, in my view, could be greatly improved from a presentation and usefulness standpoint if we were given a few days to work with the DD/S&T people. The reactions contained in this memorandum and in [redacted] memorandum are the result of of only a very quick look.

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Attachments: (2)

1. Subject Study
2. Memorandum from [redacted]

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